AN ORDINANCE 101169

APPROVING THE TEMPORARY STREET CLOSURE OF EAST HOUSTON STREET BETWEEN AVENUE E AND NORTH ALAMO ON SATURDAY, NOVEMBER 19, 2005 FROM 8:30 A.M. TO 12:00 NOON FOR THE ANNUAL PONY EXPRESS SWEARING-IN CEREMONY, AS REQUESTED BY THE ALAMO AREA COUNCIL OF GOVERNMENTS.

BE IT ORDAINED BY THE CITY COUNCIL OF THE CITY OF SAN ANTONIO:

SECTION 1. The temporary street closure of East Houston Street between Avenue E and North Alamo, as requested by the **Alamo Area Council of Governments (AACOG)**, on Saturday, November 19, 2005 from 8:30 a.m. until noon, in order to hold their annual "Pony Express Swearing-In Ceremony" is hereby authorized. The City finds that granting this request will promote the health, safety, and welfare of the participants and the public in the vicinity.

SECTION 2. The City Manager or his designee, is authorized to further implement this ordinance by taking any additional actions deemed necessary to protect the public.

SECTION 3. Funds in the amount of \$75.00 are authorized to be deposited in Internal Order Number 223000000163, General Ledger 4401270, entitled "Street Closure and Event", Fund 11001000 entitled "General Fund".

SECTION 4. The financial allocations in this Ordinance are subject to approval by the Director of Finance for the City of San Antonio for the City of San Antonio. The Director may, subject to concurrence by the City Manager or the City Manager's designee, correct allocations to specific Cost Centers, WBS Elements, Internal Orders, General Ledger Accounts, and Fund Numbers as necessary to carry out the purpose of this Ordinance.

SECTION 5. Alamo Area Council of Governments shall be responsible for the following: a) fulfilling all insurance requirements, paying the required street closure permit fee and any other fees and license charges; b) posting signs, barricades and the use of any off duty or on-duty police officers, as may be required by the City of San Antonio's Public Works and/or Police Departments; c) evidencing the street closure to provide for the safety of patrons and the rerouting of traffic; and d) cleaning the area up after the event is held.

SECTION 6. Alamo Area Council of Governments shall assume all risks inherent in this event and shall indemnify and hold harmless the City of San Antonio from any and all costs, damages, injuries, or losses attendant to, or in any way growing out of this special use of the public street rights of way.

SECTION 7. This ordinance shall be effective on August 21, 2005.

PASSED AND APPROVED this 11th day of August, 2005.

PHIL HARDBERGER

ATTEST

APPROVED AS TO FORM

City Attorney